



**Request for City Council Committee Action  
Health Department**

**Date:** April 14, 2014

**To:** HEALTH, ENVIRONMENT & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT  
COMMITTEE

**Referral to:** WAYS & MEANS/BUDGET COMMITTEE

**Subject:** REVENUE CONTRACT FROM THE MISSISSIPPI WATERSHED  
MANAGEMENT ORGANIZATION FOR SUMMER INTERNS

**Recommendation:**

Council authorization for the proper City officials to:

1. Execute a grant agreement for \$19,200 from the Mississippi Watershed Management Organization to hire interns to assist in erosion control enforcement, and
2. increase both the revenue estimate in fund/department 01600-8600155 (revenue code 372001) and the 2014 appropriation in fund/department 01600-8600155 by \$19,200.

**Previous Directives:** Prior agreements approve on May 25, 2012 and May 10, 2013.

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**Approved by:**

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Gretchen Musicant, Commissioner of Health

**Permanent Review Committee (PRC):** Approval \_\_\_\_ Not Applicable  X   
**Policy Review Group (PRG)** Approval \_\_\_\_ Date of Approval \_\_\_\_ Not Applicable  X

**Presenters in Committee:** Patrick Hanlon, Environmental Services Supervisor

**Financial Impact (Check those that apply)**

X  Action requires an appropriation increase to the \_\_\_\_ Capital Budget or  X  Operating Budget.  
 X  Action provides increased revenue for appropriation increase.

**Background/Supporting Information Attached**

The Mississippi Watershed Management Organization (MWMO) works with the City to address water quality issues in Minneapolis. The MWMO will continue in 2014 to pay for intern positions with Environmental Services to assist in erosion control enforcement. In addition, the interns will work cooperatively with both organizations in conducting studies in best management practices for storm water management, water sampling, and other projects related to storm water quality in Minneapolis